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United States Department of the Interior

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United States Custom House
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Department MR 6499
PO Box 55819
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Attn: Mr. Tom Nash

Reference: Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Request # 2013-00837

Dear Mr. Nash:

This letter is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated August 15, 2013 in which you requested: *Any threat assessment report completed regarding Fredericksburg Battlefield National Park between 2009 and the time this request is processed.* Upon further review, we have no records that are responsive to your request.

Should you consider this NO RECORDS response to be a denial of your request, you have the right to appeal this denial of your request by filing an appeal by writing to:

Freedom of Information Act Appeals Officer
Office of the Solicitor
U.S. Department of the Interior
1849 C Street, NW
MS-6556-MIB
Washington, D.C. 20240
foia.appeals@sol.doi.gov

Your appeal must be received no later than 30 workdays after the date of this final response. The appeal should be marked, both on the envelope and the face of the appeal letter, with the legend "FREEDOM OF INFORMATION APPEAL." Your appeal should be accompanied by a copy of the your original request, along with any information you have which leads you to believe the records are available, including where they might be found, if the location is known to you. Please note appeals received after 5 p.m. EST will be considered to have been received as of the following day.

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correspondence between you and the National Park Service (NPS). You should also include a detailed statement setting forth the basis of your belief that this decision is in error. Due to the time required for security screening of incoming mail at the DOI, faxing a copy of your letter and supporting documents to the above facsimile number will ensure timely receipt of your appeal. Any appeal arriving after 5:00 pm Monday through Friday will be deemed received the next day.

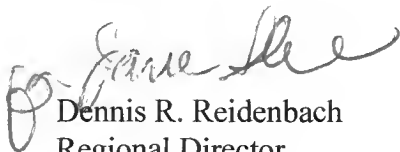
Also, as part of the 2007 OPEN Government Act FOIA amendments, the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) was created to offer mediation services to resolve disputes between FOIA requesters and Federal agencies as a nonexclusive alternative to litigation. Using OGIS services does not affect your right to pursue litigation.

You may contact OGIS in any of the following:

Office of Government Information Services (OGIS)
National Archives and Records Administration
Room 2510
8601 Adelphi Road
College Park, MD 20740-6001
Email: ogis@nara.gov
Phone: 301-837-1996
Fax: 301-837-0348
Toll-free: 1-877-684-6448

If you have any further questions concerning this response, please contact Superintendent Lucy Lawliss. She can be reached at (540)372-3032 or via email at lucy_lawliss@nps.gov.

Sincerely,



Dennis R. Reidenbach
Regional Director
Northeast Region